

COMPLAINT - WARRANT

COMPLAINT NUMBER				THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY VS. JERMAINE TAYLOR ADDRESS: [REDACTED] [REDACTED] KY [REDACTED]	
0112	W	2017	001340		
<small>COURT CODE</small>	<small>PREFIX</small>	<small>YEAR</small>	<small>SEQUENCE NO</small>		
TWP OF HAMILTON REGIONAL MC 6101 13TH STREET MAYS LANDING NJ 08330-0000 609-625-6621 COUNTY OF: ATLANTIC					
<small># of CHARGES</small> 3	<small>CO-DEFTS</small>	<small>POLICE CASE #:</small> ACPO160048		DEFENDANT INFORMATION SEX: M EYE COLOR: BROWN DOB: 12/13/1974 DRIVER'S LIC: [REDACTED] DL STATE: [REDACTED] SOCIAL SECURITY #: [REDACTED] SBI #: [REDACTED] TELEPHONE #: [REDACTED] LIVESCAN PCN #: [REDACTED]	
COMPLAINANT LUKE IRELAND NAME: 4997 UNAMI BLVD MAYS LANDING NJ 08330					
By certification or on oath, the complainant says that to the best of his/her knowledge, information and belief the named defendant on or about 01/12/2016 in HAMILTON TWP, ATLANTIC County, NJ did: WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF THIS COURT, COMMITTED AN ACT OF SEXUAL PENETRATION WHILE THE VICTIM IS ONE WHOM THE ACTOR KNEW OR SHOULD HAVE KNOWN WAS PHYSICALLY HELPLESS, MENTALLY DEFECTIVE OR MENTALLY INCAPACITATED, SPECIFICALLY BY INSERTING HIS FINGER IN THE VAGINA OF [REDACTED] A PRISONER, WHO WAS PHYSICALLY UNABLE TO FLEE BECAUSE SHE WAS HANDCUFFED, SHACKLED AT THE WAIST AND CUFFED AT HER ANKLES. IN VIOLATION OF N.J.S. 2C:14-2A(7), A CRIME OF THE FIRST DEGREE. WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF THIS COURT, COMMITTED AN ACT OF SEXUAL PENETRATION WITH THE VICTIM, [REDACTED], WHO WAS DETAINED AS A PRISONER AND JERMAINE TAYLOR HAD SUPERVISORY OR DISCIPLINARY POWER OVER THE VICTIM BY VIRTUE OF HIS PROFESSIONAL AND OCCUPATIONAL STATUS, SPECIFICALLY BY INSERTING HIS FINGER IN HER VAGINA. AT THE TIME, THE VICTIM WAS HANDCUFFED, SHACKLED AT THE WAIST AND CUFFED AT HER ANKLES. in violation of:					
Original Charge	1) 2C:14-2A(7)		2) 2C:14-2C(2)		3) 2C:14-3A
Amended Charge					
CERTIFICATION: I certify that the foregoing statements made by me are true. I am aware that if any of the foregoing statements made by me are willfully false, I am subject to punishment Signed: LUKE IRELAND Date: 12/08/2017					
You will be notified of your Central First Appearance/CJP date to be held at the Superior Court in the county of ATLANTIC at the following address: ATLANTIC SUPERIOR COURT 4997 UNAMI BLVD Date of Arrest: Appearance Date: Time: MAYS LANDING NJ 08330-0000 Phone: 609-625-7000					
PROBABLE CAUSE DETERMINATION AND ISSUANCE OF WARRANT					
<input type="checkbox"/> Probable cause IS NOT found for the issuance of this complaint.					
Signature of Court Administrator or Deputy Court Administrator		Date	Signature of Judge		Date
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Probable cause IS found for the issuance of this complaint. MICHELE VERNO JUDICIAL OFFICER 12/12/2017 <small>Signature and Title of Judicial Officer Issuing Warrant Date</small> TO ANY PEACE OFFICER OR OTHER AUTHORIZED PERSON: PURSUANT TO THIS WARRANT YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO ARREST THE NAMED DEFENDANT AND BRING THAT PERSON FORTHWITH BEFORE THE COURT TO ANSWER THE COMPLAINT. Bail Amount Set: _____ by: _____ <small>(If different from judicial officer that issued warrant)</small>					
<input type="checkbox"/> Domestic Violence – Confidential		<input type="checkbox"/> Related Traffic Tickets or Other Complaints		<input type="checkbox"/> Serious Personal Injury/ Death Involved	
Special conditions of release: <input type="checkbox"/> No phone, mail or other personal contact w/victim <input type="checkbox"/> No possession firearms/weapons <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):			ORIGINAL Page 1 of 7 NJ/CDR2 1/1/2017		

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IN VIOLATION OF N.J.S. 2C:14-2C(2), A CRIME OF THE SECOND DEGREE.

WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF THIS COURT, COMMITTED AN ACT OF AGGRAVATED SEXUAL CONTACT, SPECIFICALLY BY TOUCHING THE BUTTOCKS AND VAGINA OF [REDACTED] WHO WAS PHYSICALLY HELPLESS.

IN VIOLATION OF N.J.S. 2C:14-3A, A CRIME OF THE THIRD DEGREE.

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TWP OF HAMILTON REGIONAL MC 6101 13TH STREET MAYS LANDING NJ 08330-0000 609-625-6621 COUNTY OF: ATLANTIC				ADDRESS: [REDACTED] [REDACTED] KY [REDACTED]	
# of CHARGES 3	CO-DEFTS	POLICE CASE #: ACPO160048		DEFENDANT INFORMATION	
COMPLAINANT LUKE IRELAND		SEX: M EYE COLOR: BROWN DOB: 12/13/1974		DL STATE: [REDACTED]	
NAME: 4997 UNAMI BLVD		DRIVER'S LIC. #: [REDACTED]		SBI #: [REDACTED]	
MAYS LANDING NJ 08330		SOCIAL SECURITY #: [REDACTED]		TELEPHONE #: [REDACTED]	
		LIVESCAN PCN #:			

Purpose: This Affidavit/Certification is to more fully describe the facts of the alleged offense so that a judge or authorized judicial officer may determine probable cause.

1. Description of relevant facts and circumstances which support probable cause that (1) the offense(s) was committed and (2) the defendant is the one who committed it:

In January 2016, [REDACTED] was transported from California to Massachusetts by a prisoner transportation company, PST, in a transport van along with other prisoners. During their trip, the van stopped in Kentucky and switched transport officers. Officers Trey Welch and Jermaine Taylor took turns driving the vehicle from Kentucky to Maine. There were multiple male prisoners in the rear section of the van. All prisoners were shackled at their ankles and their hands were cuffed and shackled to their waist. There was one female prisoner, [REDACTED], in the middle section of the van which was only accessible from the passenger side of the van. The rear section of the van was only accessible from the rear of the van. On 1/12/16, the van stopped at the Atlantic County Jail in Mays Landing, NJ, for a restroom break. Taylor went to the side and opened the door for [REDACTED] while officer Welch went to the rear of the vehicle and opened the door for the male prisoners. All prisoners were escorted into the ACJF to use the restroom facilities. When they returned outside, Officer Welch took all of the males to the rear of the vehicle and officer Taylor escorted [REDACTED] to the side entrance. [REDACTED] indicated that Taylor touched her buttocks with his hand when she entered the vehicle. [REDACTED] sat in the vehicle and Taylor remained at the side door. Taylor then instructed the male prisoners to remove trash from inside of the rear of the vehicle. Taylor was instructing one male prisoner, [REDACTED], on picking up the garbage while Welch was standing behind the vehicle with the other prisoners. While Taylor was instructing [REDACTED] he placed his hand on the thigh of [REDACTED]. Taylor then touched her vagina outside of her clothing. Taylor then put his hand inside of her pants and penetrated her vagina with his finger. [REDACTED] closed her legs and Taylor removes his hand from between her legs. When they arrived at the Essex County, Mass. jail, Taylor escorted [REDACTED] inside the jail. Prior to entering the jail, Taylor handed [REDACTED] a piece of paper and indicated that they could, "finish what we started." [REDACTED] is seen on surveillance video placing something into her front pant pocket. [REDACTED] later tells a nurse at the jail that she was sexually assaulted and that she had a piece of paper with Taylor's phone number. Taylor denied any inappropriate contact but could not explain how his name and cell phone number, written in his handwriting, was located in [REDACTED]'s pants pocket.

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2. I am aware of the facts above because: (Included, but not limited to: your observations, statements of eyewitnesses, defendant's admission, etc.)

Conducted recorded interviews of victim, witnesses and suspect. In addition, I secured case related evidence.

3. If victim was injured, provide the extent of the injury:

Certification:

I certify that the foregoing statements made by me are true. I am aware that if any of the foregoing statements made by me are willfully false, I am subject to punishment.

Signed: LUKE IRELAND LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERDate: 12/06/2017

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